

From owner-qrp-1@netcom.com Tue Mar 21 10:05:11 1995  
From: RobCap@aol.com  
Date: Tue, 21 Mar 1995 09:07:59 -0500  
Message-Id: <950321090712\_56127283@aol.com>  
Subject: For Sale

I'm cleaning out my shack, and have three items for sale:

Heath HW-16, good condition. \$100.

Ten Tec 290 step attenuator, mint condition. \$35.

Yaesu Power/SWR meter (20/200/2KW ranges), excellent condition. \$60.

All prices include UPS Ground shipping.

73,

Rob, WA3ULH

From owner-qrp-1@netcom.com Tue Mar 21 17:33:07 1995  
Date: Tue, 21 Mar 1995 13:36:53 -0700 (MST)  
From: Rick Zabrodski <zabrodsk@med.ucalgary.ca>  
Subject: Re: How DOES a J-pole actually work?  
Message-Id: <Pine.SUN.3.91.950321133241.24324F-100000@ume>

re: airships.....ANY antenna works well up high. Soaring in my glider at  
8000 feet AGL my two  
meter handi talkie, 300mw to a short (ineficient) rubber duckie works  
repeaters in excess of 100 miles with ease!

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On Mon, 20 Mar 1995, Kevin Purcell wrote:

> >(a) People seem willing to use them who pooh-pooh the end-fed Zepp  
> >antenna--to which at least one author (Moxon) ascribes a built-in loss of 3  
> >dB--which is the same thing as J with the half-wave section bent 90 degrees  
> >to the side, and  
>  
> You mean 180 degrees don't you :)  
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> The original Zepps where hung from the bottom of Zepplins (but you knew  
> that -- I'm sure I read that in an ARRL publication or perhaps RSGB).

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> Not flame bait!  
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> 73  
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> Kevin Purcell, N7WIM // work: kevinpu@atm.com // home: xenolith@halcyon.com  
> | "The best way to get information on  
> Join Seattle's dBug Mac Developers SIG | UseNet isn't to ask a question  
> and meet other Mac programmers! | but to post the wrong information"  
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From owner-qrp-l@netcom.com Tue Mar 21 23:46:01 1995  
Date: Tue, 21 Mar 1995 12:46:56 -0700 (MST)  
From: Rick Zabrodski <zabrodsk@med.ucalgary.ca>  
Subject: newbie succeeds, another ephiphyte lives!  
Message-Id: <Pine.SUN.3.91.950321123234.24324D-100000@ume>

After lots of trips getting parts and lots of double checking schematics (picture of components on board helped a lot) I put it together. You can tell I did not take shop in high school, after drilling holes in metal cabinet I have cuts and scrapes to show for it. (Scarry part: I use a scapel on humans on a regular basis! ;-)) Reciever worked fine right off the bat. I needed some email coaching from ve7qk to tweak the transmitter. I had the meter set incorrectly and set current drain for 1 and 3 ma instead of 10 and 30 ma. After I sorted that out it was just a matter of singing and tweaking. (Yes, my sanity was questioned by household members.) Anyway, puts out a nice solid 0.5 watts pep. Thanks to sharpening my skills on the sierra there were no assembly goofs. (Tripled checked those torroids, Wayne!) Next, the amplifier. Looking forward to the cascade kit (silkscreening, detailed instructions etc) and comparing the two rigs. No doubt about it though, I learned a lot. This is not a first time builder project but an excellent stepping stone for learing more once you have built some kits. Making your first ssb contact on your homebrew rig is like your feels just like your first contact ever!

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From owner-qrp-l@netcom.com Tue Mar 21 15:12:17 1995  
From: PDouglas12@aol.com  
Date: Tue, 21 Mar 1995 14:01:28 -0500  
Message-Id: <950321140126\_56393418@aol.com>

Subject: Re: signing /QRP

Tim, You wrote about signing /QRP, and indicated you disagree with those of us who are reluctant to use the designation in QRO regions of the bands.

That's why I posted the first message--to generate some friendly controversy.

I'm glad it worked! Preston WJ2V

From owner-qrp-1@netcom.com Tue Mar 21 22:18:13 1995

From: K7YHA@aol.com

Date: Tue, 21 Mar 1995 21:10:15 -0500

Message-Id: <950321211013\_56870620@aol.com>

Subject: TS-130V Station For Sale

One more time....

I have an absolutely mint TS-130V station for sale that includes the VFO-120, AT-130 (tuner), DFC-230 (digital freq controller...which is very rare), and the PS-20 four am power supply. All manuals are original and I have the service manual on the 130V, also.

Here's your chance to own K7YHA's gear. You know, the guy who has not one, not two, but THREE books out on QRP! Who else but Rich has his voice all over the world on SW Broadcast via HCJB. That's right, Rich is on SW telling the world about QRP! (Eat your heart out, Bryce!) Who else sells gear like most women change shoes? Don't be reluctant, or he might change his mind! Buy now.

Serious buyers only: Call (717) 825-5395 AFTER 9PM M-Th, AFTER 6 PM on Fridays and anytime on the weekend.

A mere kilobuck, that's right, only \$1000 takes this primo mint station and puts it in your shack. Don't delay, buy today!